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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of Michael M. FAINZILBER Examiner: Patrick J. Nolan Serial No. 09/210,952 Filed: December 15, 1998 Group Art Unit: 1644 For: GAMMA-CONOPEPTIDES

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Under the provisions of § 1.136(a), applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for filing an Appeal Brief for two months from January 21, 2003 to March 21, 2003. Please charge deposit account No. 02-2135 in the amount of \$205.00 to cover the cost of the extension.

Also, if any additional payment is required, please charge the cost thereof to deposit account no. 02-2135. An extra copy of this letter is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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